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Dear Beverly,

Proposed Oversea Patent Applications
Based on U.S.S.N. 688 154
Your ref: PM 1442 - Our file: 33330

Thank you for your letter of 4th March 1992. I enclose proposed revised claims for this application, for your comments.

As usual, I have taken advantage of the more generous claim dependencies available to reduce the number of claims in the application.

I have noticed that temperatures are quoted in both degrees Fahrenheit and Celsius in the specification; I presume that this is intentional, and I have converted the Fahrenheit values to Celsius. I also note that a viscosity value is quoted in "mps". I am not sure what units these initials represent, but to conform with EPO requirements, viscosity should be quoted in SI units, which are either Stokes (St) or Poise (P). Please let me have a conversion factor so that I can quote viscosity in SI units. If this is not readily available, we can file with the units as they are.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Yours sincerely,

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